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10/762,208	01/21/2004	Thomas B. White		2513

TITLE OF INVENTION: INNOVATIVE HITCH SYSTEM WITH HYDRAULIC PUMP

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FOR: Innovative Hitch System with Hydraulic Pump

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